1	2	3
Sitapur	209.	Biswan
	210.	Khairabad
	211.	Lahirpur
	212.	Mohammadabad
	213.	Misrik Nimsar
	214.	Sitapur
Sidharthnagar	215.	Bansi
	216.	Tetribazar
Sonbhadra	217.	Robertsganj
Sultanpur	218.	Sultanpur
Tehri	219.	Narendranagar
	220.	Tehri
Unnao	221.	Bangermau
	222.	Gangaghat
	223.	Unnau
Uttarkashi	224.	Uttarkashi
Varanasi	225.	Mughalsari
	226.	Ramnagar

Link Road

3836. SHRI RAMSHAKAL
SHRI RAJESH RANJAN ALIAS PAPPU YADAV:

Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have any scheme to connect all the villages in the country with link roads, particularly SC/ST dominated areas;

(b) if so, whether obstacles are created by the forest department in connecting the villages situated in the forests;

(c) the policy of the Government to connect the villages situated in forests with link roads; and

(d) the achievement made so far in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI KINJARAPPU YERRANNAIDU) : (a) to (d) Connecting of all categories of villages through link roads is a State subject. Funds for this purpose are provided by the State Governments in their Annual Plan under the Minimum Needs Programme. It is estimated that 85.7% of villages with population 1000 and above have been connected by Rural Link Roads upto 31st March, 1996. At present there is no Central Scheme for village connectivity.

Implementation of Development Projects

3837. DR. BALI RAM : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the names of the development projects being implemented in various towns and cities of Uttar Pradesh during the last three years and as on date alongwith the amount spent on these separately, location-wise;

(b) whether these projects are likely to be completed in the stipulated period; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. U. VENKATESWARLU) : (a) Urban development projects are undertaken in states under the Scheme of Integrated Development of Small and Medium Towns (IDSMT). The projects being implemented in various cities and towns under IDSMT during the last three years and as on date include : sites and services, roads, drains, markets and shopping complexes, bus stations, street lighting, etc. The details of expenditures on IDSMT projects taken up during the last three years are not available. However, as reported by the Government of Uttar Pradesh, the total expenditures on the IDSMT Scheme since inception upto December 1996 is of the order of about Rs. 28 crores. Attached Statement provides the details of towns taken up under IDSMT and Central assistance released yearwise for the period 1993-96.

(b) and (c) The projects taken up under IDSMT during the last three years, i.e. during 1993-96 (8th Plan) are not likely to be completed before the end of the 8th plan. This is due to delay in execution of projects and non-mobilisation of institutional finance which is 20%-40% of the project cost under the existing IDSMT guidelines.

Statement

Details of Approved Project Cost and Central Assistants released for Towns in Uttar Pradesh covered under the I.D.S.M.T. Scheme during the last three years.

(Rs. in Lacs)

S. No.	Name of Town and Year in which covered	Approved Project Cost	Central Assistance Released
1	2	3	4
1993-94			
1.	Pilkhua	500.00	40.00
2.	Thana Bhavan	136.87	16.00
3.	Kotdwar	118.87	14.00

1	2	3	4
4.	Kandhala	100.67	12.00
5.	Sirsaganj	119.65	15.00
1994-95			
6.	Basti	498.20	40.00
7.	Ferozabad	366.13	33.00
8.	Baraut	300.00	36.00
9.	Rampur	392.20	35.00
10.	Budhana	192.20	15.00
1995-96			
11.	Akbarpur	204.10	22.50
12.	Farrukhabad-Fatehgarh	283.27	21.00
13.	Tanda	179.19	21.00
14.	Gola Gokarnath	334.14	22.50
15.	Khaleelabad	166.46	18.00
16.	Utraula	186.29	21.00
17.	Haridwar	670.44	53.00
18.	Muradnagar	218.88	22.50
19.	Dadri	172.75	20.00
20.	Loni	198.30	22.50
21.	Murababad	766.27	66.00
		Total	566.00

[English]

Projects for Housing

3838. SHRI P.C. THOMAS : Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the prestigeous project for housing for rural poor under various schemes launched by the Government are not being implemented as planned and if so, the reasons therefor;

(b) the details of amount utilised lapsed and the number of beneficiaries, State-wise;

(c) whether the functioning of these schemes through voluntary agencies have succeded as per target fixed; and

(d) if so, the details thereof

THE MINISTER OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI KINJARAPPU YERRANNAIDU) : (a) Indira Awaas Yojana a housing scheme for the rural poor is being implemented by the States/UTs as per guidelines.

(b) During the last financial year i.e. 1995-96 the total funds (central state share) allocated was 1368.34 crores as against which utilization was 1166.36 crores. The total number of houses constructed during this period was 863889. The statewise details are given in the enclosed statement.

(c) and (d) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Statement

1995-96

Sl. No.	State/U.T	Funds Allocated (C+$)	Amount Utilised Rs. Lakhs	Target Units :	House Constructed Nos.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Andhra Pradesh	10955.26	6317.95	87642	69086
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	99.64	56.00	797	420
3.	Assam	3194.94	3381.70	25560	24871
4.	Bihar	21349.01	19168.71	217292	114506
5.	Goa	107.65	31.51	861	967
6.	Gujarat	4312.61	3669.26	34501	31770
7.	Haryana	1355.79	1233.81	10846	9024
8.	Himachal Pradesh	342.06	244.55	2736	1727
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	1320.09	543.04	10561	3554
10.	Karnataka	6516.66	5812.80	52133	37460
11.	Kerala	2370.85	4864.14	24624	29368